

H.R. 1429: Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ENGEL, and Mrs. JONES of Ohio.

H.R. 1442: Mr. PORTER, Mr. FROST, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. BEAUPREZ, and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 1470: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1472: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 1477: Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 1479: Mr. HUNTER.

H.R. 1511: Mr. GINGREY, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. KIRK, Mr. BEAUPREZ, Mr. GERLACH, Ms. DUNN, Mr. RENZI, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. WELLER, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SHAW, Mr. HAYES, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.J. Res. 37: Mr. BASS.

H. Con. Res. 103: Mr. OTTER.

H. Con. Res. 121: Mrs. JONES of Ohio and Mr. FROST.

H. Con. Res. 122: Mr. HOFFEL, Mr. SKELTON, and Mr. ALLEN.

H. Res. 56: Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H. Res. 60: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. EVANS, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, and Mr. JONES of North Carolina.

H. Res. 127: Mr. COMBEST.

H. Res. 149: Mr. CARDIN.

H. Res. 154: Mr. BALLENGER, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GOODE, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. NEY, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WYNN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, and Mr. SCHIFF.

H. Res. 165: Ms. BERKLEY.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 660: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 857: Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1014: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H. Res. 59: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 1559

OFFERED BY: MR. MCGOVERN

AMENDMENT No. 1: In chapter 3 of title I, in the item relating to "DRUG INTERDICTION AND COUNTER-DRUG ACTIVITIES, DEFENSE", after the aggregate dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$34,000,000)".

In chapter 4 of title I, in the item relating to "ANDEAN COUNTERDRUG INITIATIVE", after the aggregate dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$27,000,000)".

In chapter 5 of title I, in the item relating to "OFFICE FOR DOMESTIC PREPAREDNESS", after the first and second dollar amounts, insert the following: "(increased by \$61,000,000)".

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OFFERED BY: MR. MCGOVERN

AMENDMENT No. 2: In chapter 3 of title I, in the item relating to "DRUG INTERDICTION AND

COUNTER-DRUG ACTIVITIES, DEFENSE", after the aggregate dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$34,000,000)".

In chapter 4 of title I, in the item relating to "ANDEAN COUNTERDRUG INITIATIVE", after the aggregate dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$27,000,000)".

In chapter 5 of title I, in the item relating to "OFFICE FOR DOMESTIC PREPAREDNESS", after the first and second dollar amounts, insert the following: "(increased by \$34,000,000)".

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OFFERED BY: MS. MILLENDER-MCDONALD

AMENDMENT No. 3: Page ___, after line ___, insert the following:

SEC. ___. (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the following definitions apply:

(1) FRONTLINE TRANSIT EMPLOYEE.—The term "frontline transit employee" means an employee of a mass transportation agency who is a bus driver, transit operator, transit maintenance employee, or community representative or is otherwise employed in a position with direct interaction with the public.

(2) ELIGIBLE TRANSPORTATION AGENCY.—The term "eligible transportation agency" means a designated recipient as defined in section 5307(a) of title 49, United States Code, and any other transportation agency designated by the Secretary.

(3) SECRETARY.—The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Homeland Security.

(b) PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENTS.—

(1) ASSESSMENT.—The Secretary, in consultation with the heads of other appropriate Federal departments and agencies, shall—

(A) conduct a review of all government assessments conducted after September 11, 2001, of terrorist-related threats to all forms of public transportation, including public gathering areas related to public transportation; and

(B) as necessary, conduct additional assessments of vulnerabilities associated with any public transportation system.

(2) ADEQUACY OF TRAINING.—In conducting the review and assessments under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall determine the percentage of frontline transit employees who have received training in emergency preparedness and response activities.

(3) REPORTS.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall transmit to the President and Congress a report on the results of the review and assessments conducted under this paragraph (1), including the Secretary's finding under paragraph (2), and the Secretary's recommendations for legislative and administrative actions.

(B) UPDATES.—The Secretary shall update the report, including the Secretary's finding under paragraph (2), annually for 2 years and transmit the updated reports to the President and Congress.

(c) GRANTS FOR EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE TRAINING OF FRONTLINE TRANSIT EMPLOYEES.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may make grants to eligible transportation agencies for—

(A) the training of frontline transit employees in emergency preparedness and response activities; and

(B) the acquisition of equipment and technologies, approved by the Secretary, to assist in carrying out such training and activities.

(2) TRAINING ACTIVITIES.—Training activities under paragraph (1)(A) may include the teaching of best practice methods, planning, testing, drills, and the development of agency and regional emergency preparedness and response programs.

(3) APPLICATIONS.—To be eligible for a grant under this subsection, an eligible transportation agency shall submit to the Secretary an application at the time and containing the information that the Secretary requires by regulation.

(4) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—A grant to an eligible transportation agency in a fiscal year under this subsection shall be subject to the following terms and conditions:

(A) EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE.—The agency shall certify that the agency will establish a committee on emergency preparedness and response training consisting of at least one frontline transit employee representative and at least one management employee representative. The committee shall be composed of an equal number of frontline transit employee representatives and management employee representatives. Committee positions shall not be vacant for any period in the fiscal year of more than 30 days.

(B) REPORT.—The agency shall agree to submit to the Secretary before the last day of the fiscal year a report on the use of the grant, including a statement of the number of frontline transit employees receiving training under the grant.

(5) ALLOCATION OF GRANT AMOUNTS.—The Secretary shall allocate amounts made available for grants under this subsection in a fiscal year among eligible transportation agencies based on the needs of the agencies for emergency preparedness and response training and equipment. Not less than 10 percent of such amounts shall be allocated to eligible transportation agencies in non-urban areas.

(6) FEDERAL SHARE.—The Federal share of the cost of activities funded using amounts from a grant under this subsection may not exceed 90 percent.

(7) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 6 months after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall issue final regulations to carry out this subsection.

(d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section \$8,000,000 per fiscal year for each of fiscal years 2004, 2005, and 2006. Such amounts shall remain available until expended.

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OFFERED BY: MS. MILLENDER-MCDONALD

AMENDMENT No. 4: Page ___, after line ___, insert the following:

SEC. ___. (a) FRONTLINE TRANSIT EMPLOYEE DEFINED.—In this section, the term "frontline transit employee" means an employee of a mass transportation agency who is a bus driver, transit operator, transit maintenance employee, or community representative or is otherwise employed in a position with direct interaction with the public.

(b) PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENTS.—

(1) ASSESSMENT.—The Secretary of Homeland Security, in consultation with the heads of other appropriate Federal departments and agencies, shall—

(A) conduct a review of all government assessments conducted after September 11, 2001, of terrorist-related threats to all forms of public transportation, including public gathering areas related to public transportation; and

(B) as necessary, conduct additional assessments of vulnerabilities associated with any public transportation system.

(2) ADEQUACY OF TRAINING.—In conducting the review and assessments under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall determine the percentage of frontline transit employees who have received training in emergency preparedness and response activities.

(3) REPORTS.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall transmit to the President and Congress a report on the results of the review and assessments conducted under this paragraph (1), including the Secretary's finding under paragraph (2), and the Secretary's recommendations for legislative and administrative actions.

(B) UPDATES.—The Secretary shall update the report, including the Secretary's finding under paragraph (2), annually for 2 years and transmit the updated reports to the President and Congress.

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OFFERED BY: MR. EMANUEL

AMENDMENT NO. 5: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

TITLE ____

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

SEC. ____ (a) PAYMENTS TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall, in accordance with the provisions in this title, make payments to States and local governments to coordinate budget related actions by such governments with Federal Government efforts to stimulate economic recovery.

(b) APPROPRIATION.—There is appropriated to the Secretary of the Treasury \$1,700,000,000 for fiscal year 2003 for payments under this title.

ALLOCATION

SEC. ____ The Secretary of the Treasury shall establish a formula, within 30 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, for determining the allocation of payments under this title. The formula shall give priority weight to the following factors:

- (1) The unemployment rate in relation to the national average unemployment rate.
- (2) The duration of the unemployment rate above such average.
- (3) Median income.
- (4) Population.

USE OF FUNDS BY STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

SEC. ____ (a) IN GENERAL.—Funds received under this title may be used only for priority expenditures. For purposes of this title, the term "priority expenditures" means only—

- (1) ordinary and necessary maintenance and operating expenses for—
 - (A) primary, secondary, or higher education including school building renovation;
 - (B) public safety;
 - (C) public health, including hospitals and public health laboratories;
 - (D) social services for the poor or aged;
 - (E) roads, transportation and water infrastructure; and
 - (F) housing; and
- (2) ordinary and necessary capital expenditures authorized by law.

(b) CERTIFICATIONS BY STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.—The Secretary of the Treasury may accept a certification by the chief executive officer of a State or local government that the State or local government has used the funds received by it under this title only for priority expenditures, unless the Secretary determines that such certification is not sufficiently reliable to enable the Secretary to carry out this title. The Secretary shall prescribe by rule the time and manner in which the certification must be filed.

EMERGENCY DESIGNATION

SEC. ____ The entire amount provided by this title is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

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OFFERED BY: MR. EMANUEL

AMENDMENT NO. 6: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

TITLE ____

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

UNANTICIPATED NEEDS

EMERGENCY RESPONSE FUND

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses to detect, prepare for, prevent, protect against, or respond to a potential terrorist attack, \$8,000,000,000, to remain available until December 31, 2003: *Provided*, That such funds may be transferred to any authorized Federal Government activity for such purposes: *Provided further*, That the Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall notify the Committees on Appropriations at least 15 days prior to transfer of any amount of such funds.

H.R. 1559

OFFERED BY: MS. WATERS

AMENDMENT NO. 7: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

REQUIREMENT THAT UNITED STATES URGE THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK TO RESUME LENDING TO HAITI

SEC. ____ The Secretary of the Treasury shall direct the United States Executive Director at the Inter-American Development Bank to use the voice, vote, and influence of the United States to urge the Inter-American Development Bank to immediately resume lending to Haiti, and disburse all loans to Haiti that have been approved by the Inter-American Development Bank.

H.R. 1559

OFFERED BY: MS. WATERS

AMENDMENT NO. 8: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) LIMITING CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.—If an officer described in subsection (b) was, at any time during the covered period, a member of the board of directors of a company or a senior management official of a company, such officer may not—

- (1) be present at, or participate in any way in, any negotiation of a contract for the procurement of goods or services by the Federal Government with such company or any exercise of authority in connection with an existing contract with such company (other than to delegate authority to another officer); and
- (2) otherwise directly or indirectly communicate with such company, or any officer or employee of such company, during the period any such negotiation is in progress or the exercise of authority is being considered.

(b) DESIGNATED OFFICERS.—The following officers are described in this subsection for purposes of subsection (a): the President, the Vice President, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense, the Attorney General, the Secretary of Homeland Security, the Secretary of Commerce, the Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs, the Senior Advisor to the President, the Director of Central Intelligence, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Deputy Secretary of Defense, and the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development.

(c) COVERED PERIOD.—For purposes of subsection (a), the term "covered period" means the 4-year period preceding the beginning of a negotiation of a contract or the exercise of authority in connection with an existing contract.

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OFFERED BY: MS. WATERS

AMENDMENT NO. 9: At the end of title ____, insert the following new item:

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND

For an additional amount for the "Community Development Fund" for assistance to States and units of general local government for carrying out a variety of development and renewal projects, \$5,000,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That such funds may be used only for urban and rural development and renewal projects that are designed to provide resources to urban and rural communities, to create jobs and economic opportunities, and to facilitate community growth, including projects for housing rehabilitation and construction, construction and development of health clinics, water projects, and transportation systems, acquisition and demolition of dilapidated buildings, and urban reconstruction and environmental cleanup: *Provided further*, That in administering such funds, the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development may waive, or specify alternative requirements for, any provision of any statute or regulation that the Secretary administers in connection with the obligation by the Secretary or the use by the recipient of such funds (except for requirements related to fair housing, non-discrimination, labor standards, and the environment), upon a finding that such waiver is required to facilitate the use of such funds: *Provided further*, That the Secretary may request the head of any appropriate agency to administer the use of the funds for any project, in lieu of or in conjunction with the Secretary, if the Secretary determines that such agency has more appropriate experience and expertise with respect to such project: *Provided further*, That such funds shall not adversely affect the amount of any formula assistance received by any State or unit general local government or any categorical application for other Federal assistance: *Provided further*, That the Secretary shall publish in the Federal Register any waiver of any statute or regulation that the Secretary administers pursuant to title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, no later than 5 days before the effective date of such waiver: *Provided further*, That the Secretary shall notify the Committees on Appropriations on the proposed allocation of any funds and any related waivers pursuant to this section no later than 5 days before such allocation: *Provided further*, That the entire amount is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended.

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OFFERED BY: MR. RODRIGUEZ

AMENDMENT NO. 10: At the end of the bill, before the short title, insert the following:

SEC. ____ The amounts otherwise provided by this Act are revised by reducing the amount made available in chapter 4 of title I for "Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund" by, and appropriating under the heading "DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS" an additional amount for "Veterans Health Administration—Medical Care" of, \$90,000,000, of which, in the case of the amount appropriated for "Veterans Health Administration—Medical Care", \$70,000,000 is for additional health care preparedness, as authorized by law, and \$20,000,000 is for implementation of section 7325 of title 38, United States Code (relating to the establishment of medical emergency preparedness centers in the Department of Veterans Affairs).

H.R. 1559

OFFERED BY: MR. NETHERCUTT

AMENDMENT NO. 11: At the end of the bill
(before the short title), insert the following:

SEC. _____. None of the funds made available
in this Act for reconstruction efforts in Iraq
may be used to procure goods or services
from any corporation or other business enti-

ty organized under the laws of France, Ger-
many, the Russian Federation, the People's
Republic of China, or Syria.